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SUBJ: UNESCO VISIT TO JERUSALEM

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- 1. UNDP/RESREP HAS GIVEN US SAME IMPRESSION OF UNESCO SECRETARIAT OFFICIALS' VISIT TO JERUSALEM AS PROVIDED REFTEL. HE TOLD US VISIT WAS BASICALLY TO CONSULT WITH ISRAELI OFFICIALS TO ENABLE DG TO REPORT TO EXBD, AND CONFIRMED VISIT VERY LOW KEY AND PURPOSELY WITHOUT PUBLICITY. IN ADDITION TO SUBJECTS MENTIONED REFEEL, HE SAID THERE WAS SOME DISCUSSION OF SYSTEM BY WHICH EGYPTIAN EXAMS ADMINISTERED TO GAZA STUDENTS WITH UN "BLESSING.
- 2. SOURCE (WHO KNOWS CONTON WELL FROM PREVIOUS POST)
 SAID HE HAD IMPRESSION THAT GOI DOES NOT ATTACH ANY BLAME TO
 UNESCO SECRETARIAT FOR ANTI-ISRAELI RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY NESCO
 BODIES. HE ALSO THOUGH GOI WOULD BE RECEPTIVE TO SUGGESTIONS
 SECRETARIAT OFFICIALS MIGHT HAVE TO AMELIORATE SITUATION.
 ISRAELIS RESISTED IDEA OF FURTHER FACT-FINDING VISITS, HE
 SAID, SINCE THEY ARGUE REPORTS SUBMITTED TO UNESCO AND OTHER
 SPECIALIZED AGENCIES ARE LARGELY IGNORED; EVEN IF REPORT 85-90
 PERCENT FAVORABLE, RESULTING RESOLUTIONS FOCUS ONLY ON CRITICISMS
 AND DO NOT MENTION POSITIVE ASPECTS, GOI CONTENDS.
- 3. BOLLA'S IMPRESSION THAT ISRAELIS ARE CONTINUING WITH EXCAVATIONS ANNO EXPANSION OF ISRAELI HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS CONFIDENTIAL

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